

DETAILED ACTION

This is a supplemental examiner's amendment. Claims 1-10, 17, 18, 21-23, 25-29, 36-38 and 42-44 are pending.

SUPPLEMENTAL EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Sharon Sintich on June 28, 2005.

Claim 38 (canceled).

Conclusion

Claims 1-10, 17, 18, 21-23, 25-29, 36, 37, and 42-44 (now claims 1-25) are allowed.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Maria B. Marvich, PhD whose telephone number is (571)-272-0774. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F (6:30-3:00).

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Remy Yucel, PhD can be reached on (571)-272-0781. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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